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REMARKS

Claims 1-51 were pending in the application. By this paper, Applicant has added new Claims 52-74. Hence Claims 1-74 are now pending in the application. Applicant notes that new independent Claims 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, and 59 are generally analogous to existing independent Claims 1, 8, 35, 40, 46, 47, 49, and 51, respectively.

Applicant has also by this paper amended the specification to include copyright notice(s). The foregoing amendments add no new matter.

Applicant hereby specifically reserves the right to prosecute claims of different or broader scope in a continuation or divisional application.


Applicant notes that any amendment, cancellations or additions made herein are made solely for the purposes of more clearly and particularly describing and claiming the invention and responding to the aforementioned restriction election, and not for purposes of overcoming art or for patentability. The Examiner should infer no (i) adoption of a position with respect to patentability, (ii) change in the Applicant's position with respect to any claim or subject matter of the invention, or (iii) acquiescence in any way to any position taken by the Examiner, based on such cancellations or additions.

If the Examiner has any questions or comments which may be resolved over the telephone, he is requested to call the undersigned at (858) 505-1166.

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